ADVOCATES SEAFOOD MARKETING BOARD

URGES ADEQUATE DISTRIBUTION OF SEAFOOD PRODUCTS

For the past eight months the fishing industry has been endeavoring to convince official Washington that it should do something about getting seafood on the tables of the nation as a substitute for those other basic foodstuffs which have soared sky-high as a result of the officially-executed crop restriction and the unlooked for drought.

As chairman of the Board of Governors of the Eastern Fisheries Association and in charge of arrangements for the conferences on Saturday, Harold F. Turner says that, 'It seems timely to ask the Congress what attention it is giving to the matter of relieving the ekisting shortage of foodstuffs. Retail beef has already gone to the point where it is more than 17 per cent higher than it was a year ago; pork chops are up 34.2 percent; mutton is 18.3 percent higher; poultry 16.3 and eggs are up somewhere around 23 percent.

'The consumers may well ask that the government state clearly what plans it has for the distribution of seafoods under conditions which eliminate the extreme spread between the amount received by the fisherman and the price now asked at retail.

'Secretary Wallace, on behalf of the A A A has said that to meet the abnormally low supply of foods resulting from crop-restrictions it will be necessary to effect 'shifts in diet' to meet the needs of the consumers. The unlooked for drought practically eliminated meet from thatt 'shif.'

'I know of no substitute the government can offer the people other than seafood. We want Congress to some out into the open and say whether or not the consuming public is expected to work out methods by which it may be plentifully supplied with seafood, or whether this is considered a proper federal function by an Administration which brought on the present food shortage and resulting high prices.

Last June, in a report to the White House, Mr. Turner informed the President that there was a need for a federal board of seafood marketing control to engineer the distribution of seafood, especially in territories not now supplied with any large quantities; such a board to act as the safeguard against profiteering after the product passed beyond the control of the fishermen. This board would have the power to regulate production and set minimum sizes so that no immature fish would be taken from the sea.

At an executive committee meeting of the United Commercial Fishermen's Associations of New Jersey held in Atlantic City on February 21st, the officials of the sevreal state associations expressed their approval of the plan for a federal seafood marketing control board and agreed that a major activity of Saturday's conferences should be the obtaiiung of unanimous support of the plan by all coastal fisheries sections.

Mr. G. E. Leary, President of the Maryland Waterman's Protective Associaton and Mr. Irvin Crouch, both of Rock Hall, will head an Eastern Shore delegation at a series of conferences at Atlantic City next winter.

NAMES ROTARY COMMITTEES

Monday evening's meeting of the Chestertown Rotary Club marked the installation of the new officers of the club for the coming year. They are: Harry S. Russell, president; R. H. Collins, Jr., vice-president; Everett S. Lambden, secretary-treasurer; George Kellas, sergeant-at-arms. These officers with A. S. Turner, Jr., past-president, W. R. Hubbard and Clarence Beilharz constitute the board of directors.

Committee appointments for the year, as announced by the new president, were as follows:

AIMS AND OBJECTS—Harry S. Russell, A. S. Turner, Jr., R. H. Collins. Jr., George Kellas, Everett S. Lambden. W. R. Hubbard, Clarence Beilharz.

CLUB SERVICE—R. H. Collins, Jr., M. deK. Smith, Roland Fisher, W. B. Usilton, 3rd, C. E. Noland.

CLASSIFICATION — M. deK. Smith, Everett S. Lambden, W. B. Townshend, Henry Plant.

PROGRAM—R. H. Collins, Jr., W. E. Griffith, C. C. Jones, George Kellas, Gilbert W. Mead.

FELLOWSHIP — Roland Fisher, Ralph Usilton, George Kellas, Laurence Brown, Merrick Clements.

PUBLIC INFORMATION—W. B. Usilton, 3rd, R. H. Collins, Jr., Harry S. Russell.

ATTENDANCE—C. E. Noland, Rollison Baxter, D. R. McCauley, Merrick Clements, J. S. Kreeger.

VOCATIONAL SERVICE—Clarence Beilharz, H. N. Baldwin, W. S. Paca, Laurence Brown, W. B. Townshend.

COMMUNITY SERVICE—A. S. Turner, Jr., R. J. Nicholson, Howard Pyle, S. R. Collins, M. deK. Smith.

BOYS' WORK—W. B. Usilton, 3rd W. E. Griffith, W. R. Huey, S. R. Collins, Ralph Usilton.

RURAL-URBAN—Ralph Usilton, Merrick Clements, C. E. Noland, Howard Pyle.

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE—W. R. Hubbard, Gilbert W. Mead, W. S. Paca, Henry Plant, George Kellas.

CRIPLED CHILDREN—H. G. Simpers, W. P. Newnam, Roland Fisher, H. N. Baldwin.

STUDENT LOAN—S. R. Collins, Gilbert W. Mead, Rollison Baxter. R. J. Nicholson.

EXTENSION—W. R. Huey, J. S. Kreeger, Rollison Baxter, W. E. Griffith.

INFORMATION—C. C. Jones, W. R. Hubbard, W. R. Huey, D. R. McCauley.

The first named member of each committee is the group's chairman.

ROCK HALL

Sunday School opened at Wesley Chapel at 9.30. Elwood Burgess, Supt. taking charge. There was an attendance of 178. Mrs. Lilliam Leppo sang a very pretty solo entitled 'The Call to Service.' Monday night there will be ladies aid meeting at the home of Mrs. Elwood Burgess. Tuesday night there will be a meeting of the young women and young married women of the church. The purpose is to form a club. This meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. Katherine Shriely at 8 o'clock. Prayer meeting will be held in the church Wednesday night. Mrs. Jesse Downey's class are having a beach party at 'Capt. Sam's' on the Tolchester Estates Friday night at seven o'clock.

Sunday night service was led by Mr. Jesse Downey and he put on a very interesting program. Service opened by singing. 'In The Garden.' The theme was 'What Makes The Church Spirit.' Rev. Donnoway gave a very interesting talk on the theme, there was also a prayer by Mr. M. T. Miller, Scripture by Jack Thompson, discussions by Mrs. Hattie Burgess, Edna Marie Dierker and Mrs. Hastings, other readings were Edgar A. Guests' 'A Poet,' read by Miss Elizabeth Dierker and Mr. Stevens read 'The Church, A Place in Politics.' Mrs. Laura Willson added a few points to the topic and Jesse Downey and Emory Hogans sang 'Somebody's praying or You.' Miss Ethel Shriley rendered a very pretty solo entitled 'Just For Today.' Emory Hogans played a Cornet Solo. Meeting closed by congregation singing 'Still Sweeter Every Day.'

Little Anna Ruth Wagner is guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Coly Cornelius.

Miss Green is guest of her sister and brother in law, Mr. and Mrs. William Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Durding and daughter, Jane, of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Byard Sutton and Mrs. Jane McKnett.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wheeler entertained Mr. and Mrs. William Neisner and son, Edward, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berg and Mr. and Mrs. George F. Berg and daughter, Jean, Sunday.

Mr. Raymond Poteet was guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gagalski the past week.

Miss Adelaide Gagalski is in Baltimore visiting with relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Carney and daughter, Dorothy, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Glenn, Miss Dorothy, remained for an indefinite visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fischer and infant daughter, of Wilmington, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Walbert and faimly.

Miss Charlotte Strong is visiting in Millington with her aunt and uncle, Dr. and Mrs. Merrit Brice.

Blanche Dowling entertained the Misses Doris, Evelyn and Grace Townshend, Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Glantz is the guest of Miss Dorothy Ashley for the summer.

Mrs. Preston Shallcross and family visited relatives in Price, Sunday.

Mrs. Merrit Brice and sister were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Strong.

Robert Tucker is on our sick list, we hope he is soon better and out with us again.

Mrs. Florence Wilkins has returned from Easton hospital.

Mr. Joseph Williams was guest of Miss Alice Zang, of Pittsburg, Pa., last week.

Miss Doris Grant is guest from Newark, Del., of Miss Virginia Hague this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bryden and family were week end guests of Mrs. Bryden's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Alexander were Sunday guests in Baltimore with Mrs. Sol Lowner and family.

Miss Blanche Dowling is the geust of the Misses Doris, Evelyn and Grace Townsend this week.

Mrs. Stanley Sutton and son, Billy, were guests of Mrs. Sutton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Shriley and family Tuesday.

About twenty of the young folks of Wesley Chapel gathered at the home of Miss Katherine Shirley, Tuesday night to form a young girls club. The club was formed in order to bring the young people closer together and to strengthen the Sunday night service. Officers were elected as follows: Presiden, Miss Katherine Shriley, Vice president, Mrs. Blanche Glenn, Sect., Miss Edna Marie Dierker, Treasurer, Mrs. Myrtle Downey, Recreation committee, Misses Mildred Coleman, Elizabeth Dierker and Doris Townsend, Program committee, Mrs. Donnoway, Mrs. Leppo and Mrs. Edna Hill, refreshment committee, Agnes Joiner Bertha Dowling and Emegene Thompson. At these club meetings there is to be a business meeting and then they are going to play games and basketball. Among those present were: Mrs. Myrtle Downey, Mrs. Edna Hill, Rev. and Mrs. Donnoway, Mrs. Leppo, Mrs. Gladys Tucker, Mrs. Blanche Glenn, Mrs. Townshend, the Misses Bertha Dowling, Mildred Coleman, Agnes Joiner Imogene Thompson, Louise Thompson, Elizabeth Dierker, Doris, Evelyn, Grace and Bobby, June Townsend, Katherine Shriley, Virginia Hague, Blanche Dowling and Edna Marie Dierker.

Rev. and Mrs. Donnoway and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hepbourn and family Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Smith, of Snow Hill, Maryland, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rich.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemp, and two daughters, of Baltimore, Md., are visiting Mrs. Kemp's mother, Mrs. Charles Jones.

Members and friends surprised Rev. and Mrs. Conrad Hamer for their tenth wedding anniversary. Many useful and pretty gifts were surprised.

Mr. Clarence Thompson has moved back to Rock Hall.

Capt. and Mrs. Hiltary Akers are in Chesapeake City for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lewis, of Washington, D. C., are fourth of July visitors of the laters father, Mr. James Durding.

Mr. and Mrs. William Boyer have as guests Mr. and Mrs. Mak Benson and daughter, arine, of Wilmington, Del.

Mr. Alpheus Urie and Mr. Walter Rodney are at home for th fourth of Jlly and the week end.

Mr. Charles Russell has purchased Miss Sallie Maslin's dwelling.

Rock Hall Church opened Sunday morning and there were one hunbred and fifty eight present. The Epworth League was led by William Orr, McCall Ayres played a solo and a duet. 'It Is Well With My Soul,' was rendered by Mrs. Irving Crouch and Mrs. Elwood Taylor. Choir practice will be held Friday night.

Mss Olve Lankford, of Seaford, Delaware, is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Hamer.

We were all very sorry to hear of the death of Miss Julia Ringgold. She was loved by many of her surviving friends.

There was a lawn fete held at Mrs. Clydia Hill's last Thursday night. The program opened with a trombone solo by Thomas Warner entitled, 'I Love You Truly.' A duet was sung by Harold and Gloria Hill 'Back to Old Smoky Mountains,' they were accompanied on the Guitar by Martin Radtke. The Violet Waltz was played as a piano solo by Mrs. Clyda Hill. A saxaphone solo, 'Dinah!' and a clarinet solo 'Silvery Moon' was rendered by McCall Ayres. 'In The Valley Of The Moon' was sung by Miss Beatrice Berger. A piano solo 'Humoresque' by Mrs. Myrtle Downey. 'The Waltz You Saved For Me,' was played on the piano accordion by Jesse Downey and a Cornet solo 'Sweet and Low.' Mr. and Mrs. Martin Radtke sang 'Strolling Down The Street' and 'Let the Rest of the World Go By.' Mr. Radtke played the Guitar. Emory Hogans sang 'You Were Meant for me.' The Mrs. Florence and Helen Ashley sang 'Lonesome For You Caroline.' A poem 'My Fathers Whiskers' was read by Mrs. Mrytle Kelly. 'Tis for Texas' was sung and yodeled by Martin Radtke. Refreshments of cake and lemonade were served.

Christian Endeavor was led at Raum Chapel Sunday night by Mr. James Boulter. The congregational Hymns were 'All Hail the Power of Jesus Name,' 'We've a Story To Tell The Nations,' and 'Old Rugged Cross.' Scripture text was read by Mrs. Florence Ashley. Prayer by Mr. Boulter. The topic was 'What makes a Nation Great. 'After Christian Endeavor a very fine sermon was preached by the pastor, Rev. W. A. Donoway. His theme being 'Loyalty.' There were eighty one presetn at Sunday Sshool.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hill had as week end guests Miss Delores Smith, Mrs. Edith Sunderland, and Mr. Harry Slauterbach, of Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Colison, of Baltimore, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Colison's mother, Mrs. Matilda Hill.

A beach party was given at the home of Mrs. John Kelley for her Sunday School Class, also Miss Mary Hill's class. Those present were the Misses Mary Hill, Edna Dierker, Clora Hill, Nellie Higgans, Lorraine Boulter, Lorraine Glenn, Norma Grant, Bernice Kendall, Elizabeth Heinefield, Amy Higgans, Thelma Kelly, Dorothy Kelly, Anita Kendall, Loretta Nelson, Mrs. Clyda Hill, Mrs. Ida Rheil and son Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. John Kelly. A fine time was had by all, boatriding and playing games. There were refreshments of cake and lemonade, also a weene roast.

Mrs. Weldon Kelley is the guest of Mrs. Katherine Muth, of Baltimore.

Arnold Bryden, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bryden has blood poison in his finger and a parportion amputated. He is getting along very well.

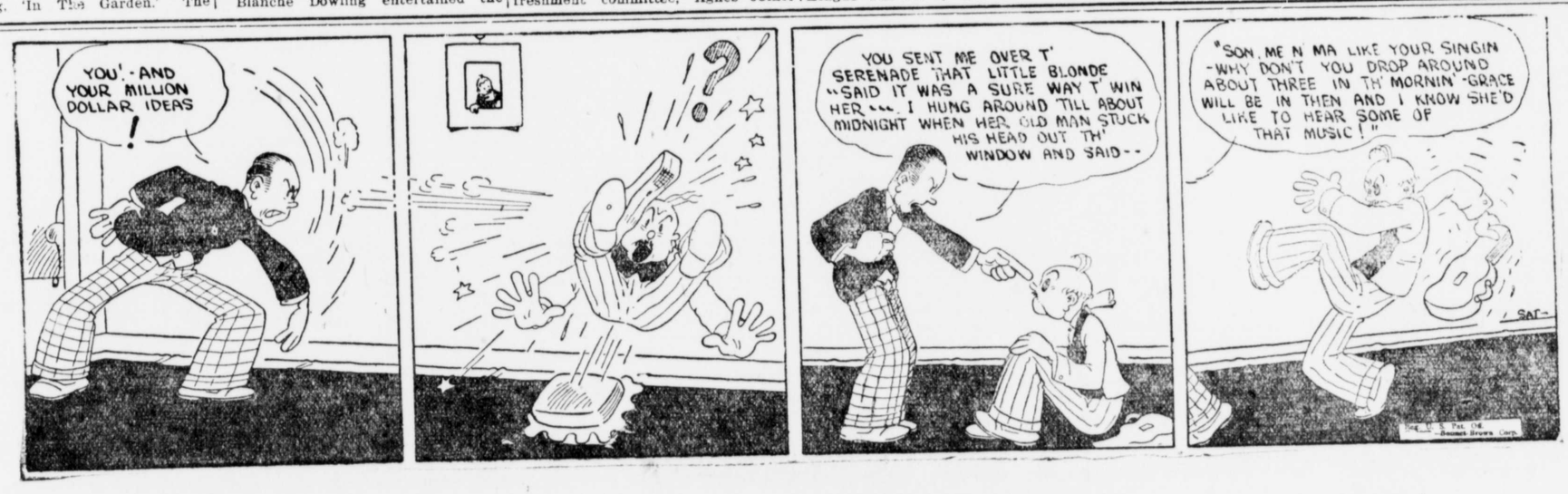
Mr. and Mrs. John Atkinson are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Walter Briers and Mr. and Mrs. Oran Downey over the week end.

Mrs. Warren peerman and niece, Rose, spent a few days with Mrs. Arnold Bryden.

Miss Mary Ellen Newcomb is guest of her friend, Miss Mariam Porter, of Chestertown.

The C. C. C. Camp boys are home from Oakland on a five day leave.

Miss Margaret Maine is in Baltimore where she will enter the Marenella Beauty Culture School.



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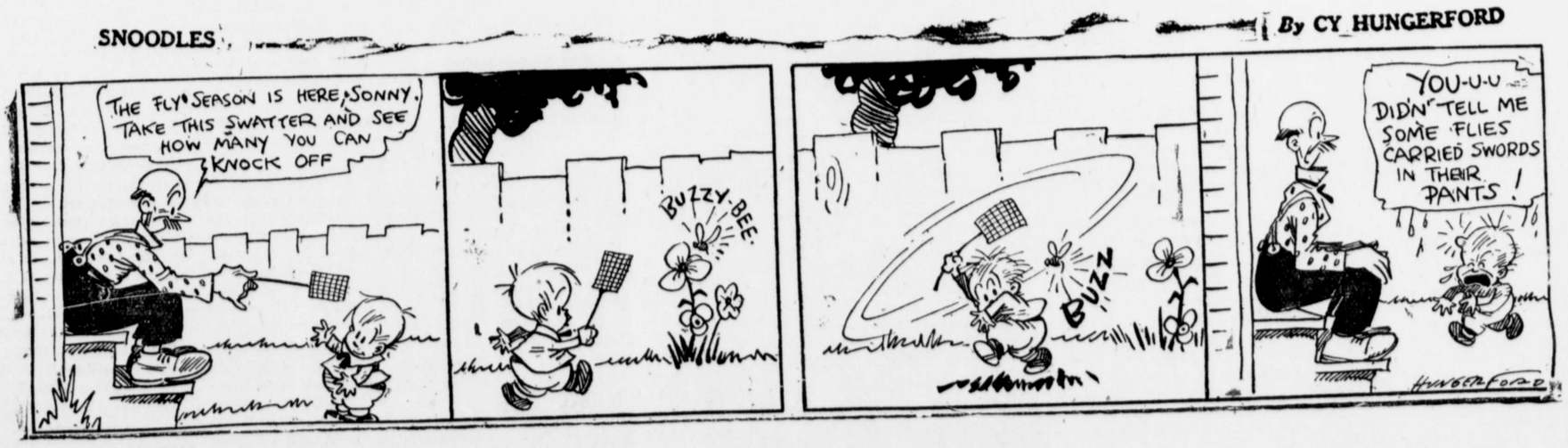

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